

BEFORE THE  
POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-0001

COMPETITIVE PRODUCT PRICES  
GLOBAL EXPEDITED PACKAGE SERVICES CONTRACTS  
NON-PUBLISHED RATES 7 (MC2015-55)

Docket No. CP2015-83

**MOTION FOR LATE ACCEPTANCE OF CUSTOMER CONTRACT FILING NOTICE  
FOR GLOBAL EXPEDITED PACKAGE SERVICES – NON-PUBLISHED RATES 7  
SERIAL NUMBER ENDING: 0035  
(August 24, 2016)**

The United States Postal Service hereby moves for late acceptance of its notice of filing the Global Expedited Package Services – Non-Published Rates 7 customer agreement with serial number ending in 0035, which the Postal Service has filed today in this docket. Commission Order No. 2558 requires that notice of a new GEPS NPR 7 contract must be filed within a “reasonable time” of the contract’s effective date.<sup>1</sup> Regrettably, the Postal Service discovered that the notice for this contract was not filed with the Commission in a timely manner relative to the contract’s effective date. The untimely filing was likely due to inadvertence or to the fact that the Postal Service previously executed a different agreement with the same customer filed in Docket CP2015-119, which may have contributed to further confusion. Recent revisions to a software program used to track international negotiated service agreement customer opportunities should reduce the possibility of such errors occurring in the future.

The Postal Service regrets the oversight, but does not believe that the Commission or other parties are prejudiced, especially given that this agreement is

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<sup>1</sup> Order No. 2558, Order Adding Global Expedited Package Services – Non-Published Rates 7 to the Competitive Product List, Docket Nos. MC2015-55 and CP2015-83, July 1, 2015, at 7.

within the “nonpublished rate” (NPR) grouping, and as such, has rates that are already approved within rate ranges.

Thus, the Postal Service respectfully moves for late acceptance of its notice of filing for the instant contract.

Respectfully submitted,

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